

Dear FCC Commission Members,
I am alarmed to learn that the FCC is entertaining NAB lobbyist efforts to limit the services provided by satellite radio. Traditional broadcasters have destroyed their own medium through terrible programming decisions and terrible on-air talent. XM and Sirius allow listeners to have an alternative and to have something better. Clear Channel, Viacom/Infinity and the score of other media conglomerates are mired in their outdated approach to broadcasting and what's ironic is that their business is about being innovative and progressive -- but they're unwilling and incapable of change. In most businesses, if you do not evolve you become extinct. Traditional broadcasters should not rely on legislation to save them -- they should rely on themselves to meet and exceed the expectations of their listeners and provide a better product. Please, do not penalize the satellite radio broadcaster by shutting off their traffic or weather features. It is a service and it is a better service than what traditional broadcasters are offering today. Tell the NAB to find a better way and exceed listener expectations.